

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 145804

67

ORIGIN AF-05

INFO OCT-01 H-03 SS-07 AID-01 NSC-06 RSC-01 ADP-00 /024 R

DRAFTED BY:AF/P:JALINEHAN

APPROVED BY:AF/P:JA LINEHAN

AF/W:MR. WALKER (DRAFT)

H:EIBURKE (INFO)

AF/S:MR. FOLEY (DRAFT)

H:KNFOLGER (INFO)

----- 053288

R 251530Z JUL 73

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY MONROVIA

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

INFO AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

UNCLAS STATE 145804

E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: OREP (BINGHAM, JONATHAN B., BIESTER, EDWARD G., JR.)

SUBJECT: TRAVEL CODEL BINGHAM AND CODEL BIESTER

REF: (A) PRETORIA 2537; (B) MONROVIA 3995; (C) MASERU 802

1. FOR MONROVIA: REF. B. CONGRESSMEN BINGHAM AND BIESTER APPRECIATIVE DCM INVITATION LUNCH AND SUGGESTION FOR TOUR IN AFTERNOON BUT BELIEVE THAT BECAUSE OF LENGTH OF FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK DAY SHOULD BE LEFT OPEN FOR REST KEEPING TOUR AS OPTION DEPENDING ON HOW THEY FEEL. THEY AND WIVES PLEASED ACCEPT AMBASSADOR'S INVITATION FOR DINNER AND CASUAL BRIEFINGS.

2. FOR NAIROBI: IF POSSIBLE THEY PREFER HOTEL BOOKING AT NEW STANLEY RATHER THAN NAIROBI HILTON.

3. FOR PRETORIA/MASERU: REF. C. REQUEST YOU BOOK AND UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 145804

PURCHASE TICKETS FOR CODELS ON SA 133 AUGUST 8 JOHANNESBURG-

MASERU AND RETURN BLOEMFONTEIN-JOHANNESBURG SA 312 AUGUST 9.
REALIZE THIS LIMITS VISIT TO UNDER 24 HOURS BUT CODELS
FEEL THIS SUFFICIENT. MR. BINGHAM HAD IMPRESSION FROM UN
AMBASSADOR MOLAPO THAT GOL DESIRED CODELS ENTER LESOTHO
BY LAND BORDER BECAUSE OF "BORDER DIFFICULTIES GOL HAS HAD
WITH SAG." WASHINGTON CHARGE MOLAPO UNAWARE ANY PROBLEMS
THIS RESPECT. EMBASSY MAY WISH MAKE INQUIRY WITH GOL.

4. FOR PRETORIA: REF. A. CODELS APPRECIATE AMBASSADOR'S
THOUGHTFULNESS IN WISHING INVITE THEM STAY WITH HIM AND
MRS. HURD BUT CONCUR WITH RECOMMENDATION THEY STAY AT
HOTEL CARLTON. CODELS PREFER AUGUST 10 FOR BRIEFING
AND THEY AND WIVES ACCEPT AMBASSADOR'S INVITATION TO
LUNCH WITH PLEASURE. MR. BINGHAM HAS INDICATED INTEREST
IN VISITING GENERAL ELECTRIC PLANT OUTSIDE JOHANNESBURG
PERHAPS EN ROUTE PRETORIA FRIDAY IF IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.
HE ALSO HAS EXPRESSED ONCE AGAIN INTEREST IN A JOHANNES-
BURG LUNCHEON WITH BLACK LEADERS. WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE
TO ARRANGE FOR TUESDAY, AUGUST 7.
ROGERS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 25 JUL 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973STATE145804
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: AF/P:JALINEHAN
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730711/aaaaaiak.tel
Line Count: 81
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ORIGIN AF
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 73 (A) PRETORIA 2537; (B) MONROVIA 3, 995; (C) MASERU 802
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: elyme
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 07 JAN 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <07-Jan-2002 by phillir0>; APPROVED <13 MAR 2002 by elyme>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: TRAVEL CODEL BINGHAM AND CODEL BIESTER
TAGS: OREP, (BINGHAM, JONATHAN B), (BIESTER, EDWARD G)
To: MASERU MULTIPLE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005